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## HAWAII CALLED ON TO UNITE FOR PROMOTION WORK

### CONVENTION PROMISES A BUSY SESSION

Fred L. Waldron Is Named as  
Permanent Chairman of  
Second Annual Meeting

QUANTITY OF BUSINESS  
HANDLED OPENING DAY

Delegates Brimful of Enthusi-  
asm on Hand for Roll Call.  
Show Marked Interest

Fred L. Waldron, chairman of the promotion committee and now permanent presiding officer of the inter-island civic convention, called that body to order this morning at 9 o'clock. With the delegates to the convention from the different islands assembled in the makai pavilion on the roof-garden of the Alexander Young hotel, Chairman Waldron spoke the first words, which marked the opening of the two days' convention. Quickly following his call to order, the preliminary business was handled without interruption. Mr. Waldron was first made the temporary chairman on motion of T. M. Church, and a minute had hardly elapsed before he was voted the permanent presiding officer on motion of Ed Towse, H. P. Wood, secretary of the promotion committee, was also made the permanent secretary.

And following this business, Secretary Wood read the roll of delegates, inserting a few names which had been omitted. Only a few were absent. The different islands were strongly represented by men of commercial and political importance; many of them have figured in public life for years and are known throughout the territory, and are here to take a hand, and do their part, in the promotion work of the territory. For that is what L. A. Thurston, in his address before the body, stated the purpose of the convention is—promotion in the large sense of the word, the development of the islands in every way development is possible.

Convention Opened  
Following the roll call, a committee on resolutions was appointed on motion of George W. Smith, who asked that the committee be composed of five delegates. Chairman Waldron thereupon named Mr. Smith the chairman of the committee, with John Walsh of Maui, D. E. Metzger of Hawaii, Ed Towse of Oahu and H. D. Wishard of Kauai as committeemen. When the convention proper opened, it opened with a speech of welcome from former Governor George R. Carter, president of the Chamber of Commerce, and a speech in response by Dr. H. B. Elliot, president of the Hilo Board of Trade, and hailed as one of the foremost boosters of Hawaii. Next came the speech on promotion by Lorrin A. Thurston, and one on transportation by H. P. Wood.

The convention was off with a bang, if the expression may be pardoned. The welcoming of the delegates, the tribute to the hospitality of Honolulu, a few panegyric words for the Ad Club, the way to see the Hawaiian Islands grow, touched on by the first speakers, put beyond the peradventure of a doubt the success of this convention.

A new spirit, unknown at other such meetings, pervades the delegates. It was noticed by Mr. Carter, and commented on at some length in his speech, and also it was mentioned by Mr. Thurston. It was the spirit of boost-co-operative boost, each helping the other, all working for a common good, and every delegate alive with interest and enthusiasm over the convention and what it stands for.

Speakers Well Received  
The cheers which greeted the speakers, and at times stopped their speeches for a spell, go to prove that the observations of Mr. Carter and Mr. Thurston are not amiss. The delegates sit in places fixed for them according to the island from which they come. The entire makai pavilion is furnished with chairs, in rows and divided into three sections. Directly in front of the speakers sit the Hawaii delegation, the men from Hilo in the front; to the left is Kauai and Maui, in order; and on the right side sit the delegates from Oahu.

Hawaii has sent the most men to the convention, Oahu next. Of course, Oahu was not as well represented this morning as it will be later. The supervisors were not present this morning when the roll was called, nor was the mayor, or other county officials. However, Mayor J. J. Fern took his place later in the

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### PROMINENT PERSONAGES IN CIVIC CONVENTION



### DE RUSSY GUNS GO IN ACTION; NIGHT PRACTICE

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Rapid-Fire Guns—Night  
Practice Period Now

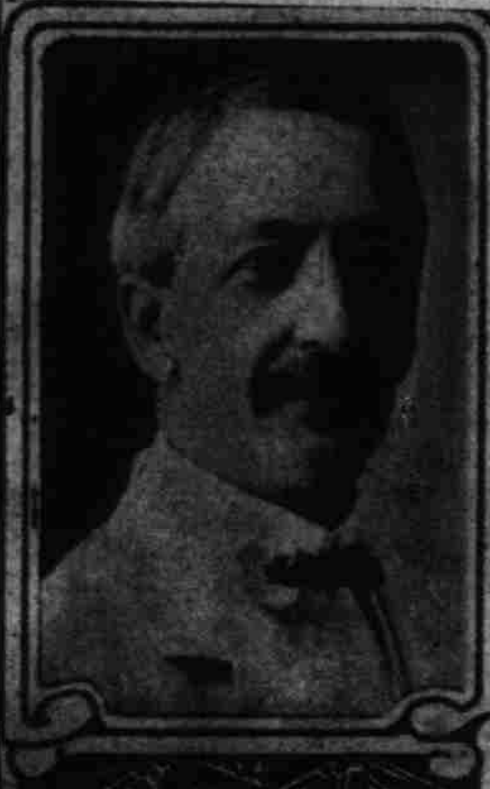
The 6-inch battery at Fort De Russy was put through its paces under service conditions for the first time this morning, 14 shots for record being sent from the rapid fire guns. These, with the three trial shots from each gun, made 20 roaring detonations that rattled the windows of nearby houses, but outside of a few broken bottles, no damage was reported. When the 14-inch giant next door to the 6-inch goes into commission, however, Walkild folk will have to move their crockery, or lay in an extra supply.

This morning's firing closed the period of day practice that must precede the night firing. Every seacoast gun on Oahu now in commission has been fired for record, with results generally satisfactory. Tonight the period of night firing opens, and for five nights the batteries at Armstrong, Kamehameha, Ruger and De Russy will hurl projectiles seaward through the darkness, directed at the small target which will be picked up and illuminated by the powerful 60-inch searchlights, with which every battery is now equipped. This is ticklish work, and makes the scoring of hits extremely difficult. The 3-inch guns at Fort Armstrong can use "tracers" which light the flight of the projectile from gun to target, so that its course can be followed in an arc of fire. There are no tracers for the larger ammunition, however, and if shots fall outside the searchlight's beam, it will be difficult, if not impossible to spot the splashes.

The shooting at De Russy this morning was held up through trouble with the electrical firing apparatus. After six shots had been fired, the magnet used in firing gun No. 2 failed, and the gun misfired fire. It was more than half an hour before a friction primer could be attached, and the gun made ready to fire with the lanyard. In the meantime the towing tug was off the course, and the usual tedious delay ensued before the red flag was hoisted, and the guns again sprang into battery ready for action.

The shooting was excellent this morning, and the 10th company, commanded by Captain Norris Stayton, hung up a fine record. On most of the 14 record shots the range was perfect, a slight deflection to the left of the target being the fault with shots that did not seem to go directly home.

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Rev. John W. Wadman, whose address "By Word of Mouth on the Mainland" was warmly received.



### FAMOUS MODEL PASSES AWAY AT WAILUKU

Ayesha Dies in Malulani Hospital Following Serious Illness

(Special Star-Bulletin Wireless)

WAILUKU, Maui, Sept. 22.—Mrs. Robson Barnett, formerly Miss Lenore White of San Francisco, died yesterday at the Malulani hospital following a severe attack of heart trouble accentuated by dysentery. The funeral will take place Wednesday at 3 p. m. from the Wailuku Union church and Robson Barnett will leave here on the Claudine to arrive in Honolulu Thursday morning with his wife's remains, which he will take to her native city for burial.

Mrs. Barnett was the daughter of Richard C. White, a well known actor along the Pacific coast and herself was one of the leading artists' models of the last several decades. Known as Ayesha she has been touring the islands with a hypnotic act and has appeared, during the past year, at the principal points of the territory.

Mrs. Barnett, as Miss Lenore White, gained world-wide fame while posing for V. Tojetti, the famous artist, whose reproduction of her eyes and shoulders are considered as masterpieces.

**FAMOUS CALIFORNIA  
BIG TREE GROVE IS  
THREATENED BY FIRE**

(Associated Press Cable)

SANTA CRUZ, Cal., Sept. 22.—Forest fires now threaten the famous big tree grove near here.

When the secretary of the convention arose to call the roll, and said that he would read the names of those from Maui first, the noise of falling chairs was heard in the back of the room. "That's the Maui delegates, all right," shouted the Hilo boosters.



### MILLION-DOLLAR BOND ISSUE FOR ROADS PROPOSED

Resolution Will Be Presented at  
Civic Convention Meeting  
Tonight

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Resolutions calling for a million-dollar bond issue for a magnificent road system throughout the territory are expected to be introduced tonight at the civic convention meeting by Robert W. Shingle, president of the Waterhouse Trust Company and a delegate to the convention from the Honolulu Chamber of Commerce. It is said that a large proportion of this million dollars is proposed for expenditure on the island of Hawaii. The bonds are to be territorial. The proposal is expected to produce some lively discussion.

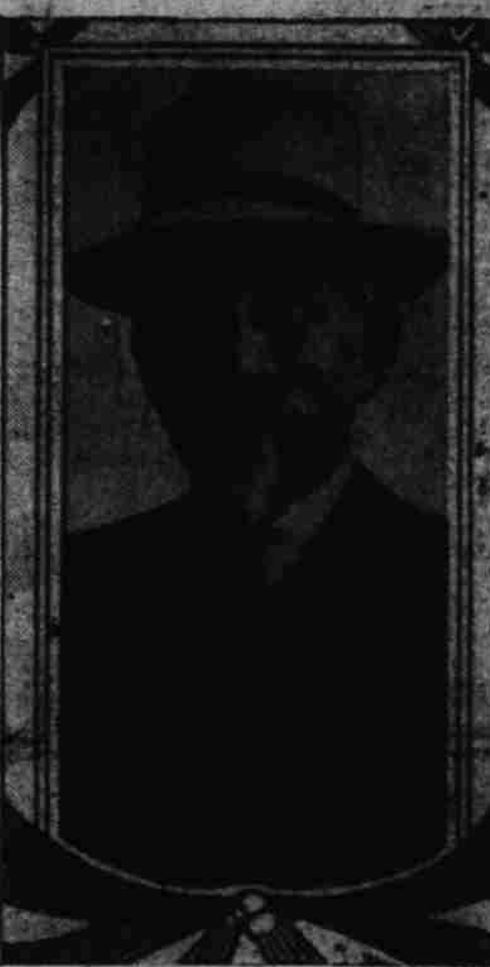
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### MORE PROMOTION WORK IS THEME OF RESOLUTIONS

L. A. Thurston Would Enlarge  
Scope of Activities and  
Boost at Home

Three sets of resolutions were introduced at the convention this morning, the authors being Ed Towse, Lorrin A. Thurston and James A. Rathi. All three were favorably received by those in attendance and are now in the hands of the committee on resolutions. The first was introduced by Mr. Thurston, being as follows:

Resolved, That it is the sense of this convention:

1.—That tourist travel is of great value to all of the people of the Territory of Hawaii.  
2.—That it is of vital importance to the people of this territory that tourist travel thereto should be stimulated by every legitimate method.

3.—That ways and means should be devised by which large sums should be made available for promotion purposes, and the availability of the same be made more certain.

4.—That there should be added to the present promotion organization a division especially devoted to the stimulation of internal tourist travel, and the entertainment and diversion of tourists while here.

5.—That the president of this convention is hereby authorized and requested to appoint a committee of five, who shall consider the subject matter hereof; advise with others interested therein, and seek to devise ways and means for effectuating the foregoing enumerated objects.

The second resolution, introduced by Ed Towse at the conclusion of his address, follows:

Whereas, The Hawaii Promotion Committee is successfully conducting the public business of bringing large numbers of visitors, investors and home builders to the islands, and

Whereas, The efforts of this committee are of vast financial, social and merchandising benefit to all the people of the territory, therefore be it

Resolved, That in the judgment of this convention the territory, through its legislature of 1915, should at least double the present appropriation for use by the Hawaii Promotion Committee, and be it further

Resolved, That the boards of supervisors of the counties of Hawaii, Maui and Kauai are hereby respectfully requested to follow the precedent set by the board of supervisors of the City and County of Honolulu and make regular appropriation for the

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Lorrin A. Thurston, who has resolution that will make far more promotion work possible.

### WILSON TO SIGN BILL THIS WEEK

President Says He Has His Pen  
Sharpened for New Tariff  
Measure

CONFEREES GIVE NO  
SIGN OF DISAGREEMENT

Conferences Between House  
and Senate Move Rapidly  
Toward Reports

(Associated Press Cable)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 22.—President Wilson told reporters today that he expects to be able to sign the new tariff bill this week. "I've got my pen already sharpened," he said.

The conferences between house and senate conference committees have progressed rapidly and without anything resembling a serious hitch. Reports from the committees are expected shortly.

### NEW YORK PAYS LAST RESPECTS TO DEAD MAYOR

(Associated Press Cable)

NEW YORK, N. Y., Sept. 22.—The body of Mayor William J. Gaynor, who died on his way to Europe a few days ago, was buried today. Impressive ceremonies marked the interment. Ex-President Taft, American Field, the noted Garrison American journalist, and Jacob Schiff, the banker, were among the pallbearers.

The stock exchange and all the municipal departments were closed in respect to the memory of the dead. The feature of the day was the participation of a million school-children in commemorative exercises held at the schools of the city.

### IMPEACHMENT OF SULZER IS VOID ARGUES COUNSEL

(Associated Press Cable)

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 22.—That every step of the impeachment trial of Governor William Sulzer will be bitterly fought, was shown today when the court of impeachment held a long session and the actual work of hearing argument and taking testimony was begun.

Sulzer's counsel began today by arguing that the impeachment of the New York executive is null, because the assembly which impeached him was meeting in an extra session, and the constitution of the state directs that the extra sessions may consider only such subjects as were specified by the governor calling them.

### ATHLETICS ONE OF TEAMS FOR WORLD'S SERIES

(Associated Press Cable)

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 22.—That the Philadelphia Athletics will be one of the contestants in the world's championship series next month was made certain today when Connie Mack's great team clinched the American league pennant, defeating Detroit in both games of a double-header, the scores being 4 to 0 and 1 to 0.

### AMERICAN MISSION SCHOOLS IN ALBANIA SEIZED BY GREEKS

(Associated Press Cable)

VIENNA, Austria, Sept. 22.—The Greek authorities at Korin, Albania, have seized American mission schools in the district and 150 pupils have been shipped from going to the schools. The seizure caused no delay in a protest against the action of the Greeks.